## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

:

3:16-CR-352

(JUDGE MARIANI)

AARON BROUSSARD,

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Defendant.

## **ORDER**

AND NOW, this 8th Day of July, 2020, for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum of law, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendant Aaron Broussard's Motion, entitled "Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Federal Criminal Procedural Rule 18: Place of Prosecution and Trial," (Doc. 100), is DENIED. Specifically, Defendant's pre-trial motion is DENIED to the extent that it seeks dismissal of the superseding indictment for improper venue under Rules 12(b)(2), 12(b)(3), and 18 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. Defendant's motion is also DENIED insofar as it requests that this case be transferred to the District of Minnesota in the interest of convenience under Rule 21(b).

Robert D. Mariani

United States District Court Judge